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DOESN'T WANT A RECEPTION

The Consul General Prefers to Quietly Rest.

THE COMMITTEES AT WORK

The Doings of the Day Told by Telegraph from Washington—The Movements of Troops.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, April 13—At noon today the republicans had agreed on resolutions and at 1 o'clock they adjourned to allow the democrats to consult with the leaders with the object of securing unanimous action.

The republicans have agreed on the word "independent" being placed in the resolutions. There has been no meeting of the steering committee. Republicans have expressed themselves generally as being satisfied with the tenor of the resolutions agreed upon and the prospects of harmonious action.

The senate committee didn't meet until eleven o'clock and this meeting is said to have been an informal one, the essential work having been completed yesterday.

There were some additions to the report on account of General Lee's testimony, but these are not material as his statements didn't add anything to the committee's stock of information. It was felt, however, that his statement would be valuable in rounding out and completing the report and in supporting the committee's position. His opinions were in line with those of a majority of the committee and were highly valuable.

THE MINORITY REPORT.

Washington, April 13—The minority report of the senate committee will submit demanding the recognition of Cuban independence. They agree to everything the majority say, but want to go a step further.

General Lee appears before the strategic board today to discuss plans for the action of our navy and army in Cuba. Admiral John B. Walker has been made a member of the board.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE.

Washington, April 13—The house committee on foreign affairs went in session at an early hour this morning and a determination was soon reached. The determination and final agreement is a satisfactory resolution which will be presented to congress.

There is no evidence that the president is making any effort whatever to influence the action of the two committees. His friends say he will be willing to abide by the decision it directs and will not mullify or delay the execution of the resolutions.

PROPOSED RECEPTION.

Washington, April 13—The joint committee of the Union Veteran association of the District of Columbia called on Gen. Lee today and invited him to attend a public reception at an early date. In response to the pressing invitation the General said he would rather not have the recepton. People in Washington had been very kind to him and he appreciated it. He was very tired, however, and would much prefer to rest while here.

STARTED TO CHICAMAUGA.

Forth Worth, April 13—The United States troops which have been stationed at Fort Bliss started to Chicamauga today.

UNLOADING BIG GUNS.

Key West, April 13—A large force today began unloading big rifles, and the work of mounting the same is being hurried.

WILL BE SATISFIED.

Washington, April 13—Vice-President Hobart said today after leaving the president that the latter would be satisfied with any action which congress may take in regard to the pending crisis.

INFANTRY FROM NORTHWEST.

Chicago, April 13—The Twenty-fifth United States Infantry from the northwest is to rendezvous at Chicamauga and passed through here today.

FLYING SQUADRON SAILS.

Old Point Comfort, April 13—The flying squadron sails this afternoon at 2 o'clock under sealed orders going south. The squadron consists in the Massachusetts, Texas, Brooklyn, Minneapolis and Columbia.

SMOKELESS POWDER.

Brooklyn, April 13—Twenty tons of quick firing smokeless powder was delivered at the navy yard today.

HOUSE COMMITTEE TO UNITE.

Washington, April 13—A democratic member of the House committee on foreign affairs today told his republican colleagues that, with a slight modification in the majority resolution, they thought they could unite with them in support of the resolution. The modification suggested was the insertion of a phrase that would keep the way open for recognition in the future of the Cuban republic. Upon this statement adjournment was taken until this afternoon. The committee hopes to be able to report the resolutions and have the house agree to them today.

CABLE INTERRUPED.

New York, April 13—The central office announces that there is interruption on the Havana cable and they can't locate it. They are unable to tell how long it will require to remedy it.

NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News from Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU, HIGH POINT, N. C., April 13, '98.

Robt. Blackburn, of Reidsville, who has been here to relieve J. A. Kirkman, night operator, while he has been sick, returned home today. Glad to see Mr. Kirkman out again.

Dr. A. E. Frazier left today for Asheboro where he will spend a few days.

Tom Redding, of Carraway, is spending a few days in the city.

W. A. Hall, of Greensboro, passed through this morning returning from Randleman where he has been on business.

Frank Kinney, of Thomasville, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

W. J. Clary and daughter, of Greensboro, came up yesterday on their wheels to Mr. A. V. Sapp's. They returned home this morning.

E. W. Pierce of Mt. Airy, is visiting his cousin Jesse Harrison.

Miss Jennie Russell, one of Greensboro's popular young ladies, passed through today enroute to Randleman.

Rev. W. H. Brown, a student of Trinity High school, who spent Easter in Reidsville, passed through this morning returning to school.

R. L. King, of Greensboro, was in the city this morning.

A. Loring arrived in the city yesterday from Salisbury and is putting up a steam merry-go-round on the lot opposite W. T. Rankin's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Payne, of Mosco, Idaho, arrived in the city last night to visit relatives.

Misses Maggie and Nep Whitikar, of Thomasville, arrived in the city today to visit their sister Mrs. J. D. Paylor.

John Marsh left yesterday for Philadelphia, to buy machinery for the new machine shops that are being built.

Joe Bethel, a colored employee of the Southern railway Co., was thrown off of a through freight at the depot here this morning. He said the engineer promised to slow up and did not do it, so he got off any way. He is bruised up right much but nothing serious.

Chas Sparks brother of John Sparks and owner of Sparks new show arrived in the city today and will organize a show known as Allen's great Southern show. They will give their first show here about April 25th.

Cut His Throat.

A telephone message to the Sentinel last night from Walkertown says a man named Lump Sizemore, living near that place, attempted to commit suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a knife. Our informant says Sizemore lost nearly a gallon of blood. While his condition is serious, the attending physician thinks he will recover.

Mr. Sizemore has a wife and two or three children. The cause of his rash act is said to be that he heard a report that war had been declared between the United States and Spain and rather than take the risk of going to the war preferred to take his own life.—Winston Sentinel.

Easter German.

The Crocail Club gave its Easter german last night at Bogart's hall, in honor of the University boys. It was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. The dancing began as soon as the University Dramatic club finished their play at the Academy and continued until 3 o'clock. Mr. J. Simpson Shenck and Miss Walker Fry led the german. Music was furnished by the Creensboro Orchestra.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

HEADING STRAIGHT FOR WAR

The View of London's Afternoon Newspapers.

THE MADRID CABINET TALKS.

And Characterizes McKinley's Message as Unwarranted Meddling. They Await Developments.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Madrid, April 13—The cabinet after discussing President McKinley's message last night officially declared that it is unwarranted meddling with Spanish affairs. The attitude of interference on the part of the United States expressed in the message is incompatible with the sovereignty and rights of this nation.

The cabinet further declared that they will admit of no interference and are unalterably determined to uphold the national rights of Spain. They will await further developments.

They say they are not called upon to act until President McKinley's recommendations became concert acts. The minister of war has reported on mobilization of the land forces. Extraordinary precautions for war have been taken and money has been voted to complete fortifications at Porto Rico.

A DEPLORABLE DOCUMENT.

In an interview with Sagasta he says the Spanish Premier takes strong ground against the declaration and tone of President McKinley's message and says it is a deplorable document yielding to the clamor of congress, and that all efforts of the Powers to keep Spanish-American affairs on a diplomatic basis are futile.

HEADING FOR WAR.

London, April 13—The afternoon papers are unanimous in declaring that the United States and Spain are heading straight for war.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

Madrid, April 13—At three o'clock this afternoon the situation is regarded on all sides as most serious. Minister Woodford also thinks the situation most serious.

Chick's Comedy Company.

The entertainment given last night by the Chick Comedy Company, brought out a crowded house.

Every part of the program seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by the audience and the applause was liberal.

The first part was a variety performance, and some clever specialty acting was done.

Mrs. Chick's serpentine dancing was greatly admired, and the farce of the Hole in the Wall was enjoyed.

The Cineomatograph exhibition was fine, the pictures being clear and very realistic.

Chick has exhibited with his company nearly every year in this city, and always receives a hearty reception, his show being always as represented and this season he has been better than ever before in the several exhibitions given.—New Berne Journal.

BANK MAKES OFFER.

National Park Bank Tenders Assistance to the Government.

Washington, April 12—Secretary Gage has received the following letter from Edward E. Poor, the president of the National Park Bank of New York:

"In the event of the government requiring funds for use in the present criss, the facilities and resources of this bank are hereby offered for the purpose; and should congress authorize an issue of bonds for popular investment we desire to offer the services of this bank with its 5000 correspondents in all parts of the country for the distribution of the bonds to the people without commission or charge of any kind."

Spain Buying Ammunition.

Washington, April 12—Information has reached here showing that the Spanish government is making extraordinary efforts to obtain all the ammunition for war possible. She recently gave to one of the most prominent English firms unlimited orders for all the munitions of war it could deliver up to the 1st of May.

Change of Name.

The station on the Durham and Charlotte railway, about fourteen and one-half miles from Gulf, heretofore known as Johnson, has been changed to Putnam, to correspond with the name of the postoffice just established there.

LEE IN RICHMOND.

Says the Time for Talk is Over and the Time for Action Has Come.

Richmond, April 12—Consul General Fitzhugh Lee arrived here at 11 o'clock this morning. The train remained at the depot about ten minutes. There were at least 10,000 people present including the Governor and staff, and the Richmond Light Infantry Blues. He said the time for talk was over and that the time for action had come. Tee Howitzers fired a salute on the arrival of the train. The wildest enthusiasm prevailed. The general's wife, son and daughter accompanied him as far as Quantico.

COULD TURN BACK FOR HAVANA.

Emporia, Va., April 12—General Fitzhugh Lee arose at 8 o'clock, in time to catch the first glimpse of Virginia sail. Hs rested well during the night, and when he came out of his room he said: "I feel like a different man. If I only had a good crowd behind me I could turn back to Havana."

Powder Mill Destroyed.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Norristown, April 13—Miller's Sunnytown Powder Mill was destroyed by an explosion of fifteen tons of government powder this morning. The shock was felt thirty miles away. Several nearby buildings were wrecked. No casualties.

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THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire to W. A. Porterfield & Co.

W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade:

The following are the closing quota- of the New York Stock Exchange:

NEW YORK, April. 13, 1898.

American tobacco	108
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	
B. and O.	15¼
C. and O.	18¼
Chic., Bur. and Quincy	90⅝
Chic. Gas	89⅛
Del., Lack. and Western	
Delaware and Hudson	
Am. spirits	
Dist'r and cattle feed	
Erie	
General Electric	31⅛
Jersey Central	91½
Louisville and Nashville	48
Lake Shore	
Manhattan Elevated	94⅛
Missouri and Pacific	26
Northwestern	117½
Northern Pacific Pr	60½
National Lead	
New York Central	109⅛
Pacific Mail	
Reading	15¾
Rock Island	84½
Southern Railway	
Southern Railway Pr	25¼
St. Paul	87¼
Sugar Trust	116⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron	□
Texas Pacific	
U. S. Leather Preferred	
Western Union Tel	85½
Wabash Preferred	

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade:

CHICAGO, April, 13, 1898.

Wheat, July	87⅞
" May	108⅞
" Sept	79⅝
Corn, Dec	
" Apr	29½
" Sept	32½
" Oct	
" May	30½
" July	31⅝
Oats, Sept	21¾
" Apr	26½
" May	26½
" July	23½
Pork, Dec	
" Apr	990
" May	990
" July	1000
Lard, Dec	
" Apr	515
" May	517
" July	522
Ribs, Dec	
" Apr	515
" May	517
" July	525
Cotton, Sept	598@598
" Dec	
" Feb	@
" March	@
" April	590@591
" May	593@594
" June	@
" July	599@600
" August	601@602
" Oct	598@599
" Nov	599@601
" Jan	603@604
Spot cotton	6 3-16

Puts, 86⅞@; Calls, 89½; Curb

"WHAT'S THE USE TALKING."

"We Are Going to Declare War Before Night."

SAYS CONGRESSMAN GROSVENOR

The Action of the Committees—Resolution Agreed Upon—The Majority and Minority.

By Wire To THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, April 13—The foreign relations committee of the senate reported for armed intervention and the establishment of a stable government in Cuba. The minority consisting of five members, reported in favor of recognizing the independence of the present Cuban government.

The report which accompanied the foreign relations committee was emphatic in charging Spanish officials with the destruction of the Maine. The following is the preamble to the resolution:

Whereas, The abhorrent conditions which have existed for more than three years on the island of Cuba, so near our own borders, have shocked the moral sense of the people of the United States and have been a disgrace to Christian civilization, culminating as they have in the destruction of a United States battleship and 266 of its officers and crew while on a friendly visit to the harbor of Havana, and cannot longer be endured as has been set forth by the president in his message to congress of April 11th upon which the action of congress was invited, therefore, resolved. □

BASIS OF RESOLUTIONS.

Washington, April 13—The basis of the resolutions which the committees of both houses have agreed upon is as follows:

First, that the people on the island are, and of right ought to be, free and independent.

Second, that the war Spain is waging against Cuba is destructive to the commercial and property interests of the United States, so cruel, barbarous and inhuman in its character as to make it the duty of the United States to demand the withdrawal of her land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters.

Third, that the president is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to use, if necessary, the entire land and naval forces of the United States to carry these resolutions into effect.

MAJORITY REPORT.

Washington, April 18—The report of the majority of the foreign relations committee convicts Spain of the crime of planting the mine and of mooring the Maine over it. The destruction of the Maine excited to an unprecedented degree the compassion and resentment of the American people. All manifestation was suspended until the investigation disclosed the cause.

The investigation has been made and shows when it was learned that the Maine was coming plans were laid to destroy her. This event, though distinct, is in a sense linked with a serious precedent and is a transaction which cannot reasonably be disconnected.

It was characteristic of the events of United States extending over more than three years of momentous history. In considering it the animus of Spain must be considered.

"GOING TO DECLARE WAR."

Washington, April 13—"What's the use in talking," exclaimed Representative Grosvenor this morning when he was asked whether we are going to have war, "we are going to declare war before night, or at least that will be the effect of the action which congress will take today."

OPPOSITION TO RESOLUTION.

Washington, April 13—Opposition to the consideration of the resolutions manifested itself when Senator Hoar demanded that under the rules the resolution goes over until tomorrow. The vice-president sustained the point, but Senator Foraker began his speech.

Senator Turpie offered the minority report declaring for the recognition of Cuban independence signed by Senators Foraker, Mills, Turpie and Daniel The resolution has been reported the second time to the senate. This advances their parliamentary status.

REPORT ON MAINE DISASTER.

Washington, April 13—An effort is being made among senators to have the committee's resolutions delayed for the purpose of examination. The Maine disaster is dealt with in a fiercely resentful manner. The committee's report says: "That investion has been made and was conducted with judicial thoroughness and deliberation. The difficulty in demonstrating by conclusive proof the efficient and personal cause of the disaster does not excuse or obscure the official and responsible cause."

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THE CONSERVATISM OF TIMIDITY.

The president's message will not go down in history as a great state paper. It has but one thing to recommend it, viz: conservatism. A careful perusal will show that it is the conservatism of indecision, of timidity; not the conservatism of cool calculation, of reserved power. The message does not ring clear. There is no explicit policy outlined. It is not unmistakable. The most that one can do is to "gather" from it the president's meaning. It does not hew to the line. It does not express the sentiment of the American people, save in one senterce: "The war in Cuba must cease." Those who expected a recommendation embodying all the merits of the case will look for it in vain. The message shifts to congress not only the responsibility of acting, but also of choosing the line of action. The message has fallen flat. The fact cannot be concealed from the public that its high sounding phrases, well turned sentences are only an attempt to mask the wavering of a mind that cannot calmly face a critical situation. The president was simply unable to straighten the tangled threads woven of diplomacy and tragedy—he leaves it to congress.

The last issue of the Twin-City Herald indicates that editor Gibbons longs for a yet richer pugilistic experience.

Don't let a boss grow up in your party—Progressive Farmer.

The Progressive Farmer should know whereof it speaks, seeing that it and its party have belonged to a boss for several years past.

THE CURSE OF KICKING.

During the foot ball season we hear a great deal about the brutality of that sport and a good many indictments of college athletics generally. There is, however, another fault that applies to both foot ball and base ball that is the curse of both games. That is kicking. The national league base ball magnates have this year passed a regulation that effectually puts a stop to kicking on the part of league players. As yet no means have been devised to prevent kicking by college teams.

A game of ball between two college teams is thoroughly advertised, the business man takes a few hours off, the sport lover hies him to the grand stand, carriages throng the edges of the field and all things are auspicious. The time comes for the game to begin, the players gather in a knot at the home plate or on the goal-line and for a quarter of an hour the waiting crowd is treated to stamping and gesticulation worthy of an Indian scalp dance. At last the game begins. The umpire yells a decision. Again the players gather around him and there is more gesticulation. Another quarter of an hour passes. Again the game proceeds. The umpire again dares to express an opinion. Once more the capering braves surround him and the scalp-dance goes merrily on. Suddenly one party breaks for the dressing rooms. The game is over. The disgusted spectator returns vowing he will never go to see another game.

It will be seen that the picture is not over-drawn. We have all assisted at a dozen such functions. College men are supposed to and should represent the more gentlemanly element in the latter day sports. They should see to it that kicking is stopped.

Yesterday a base ball team, representing the great University of Pennsylvania, met a team from the University of North Carolina on the diamond in Winston. The latter team made four runs in the first inning. The Pennsylvanians came to the bat; a long hit was made; the runner was caught at third; the umpire called him out; the Pennsylvanians threw up the game. They were literally jeered out of town. It is a typical instance. Players should understand that spectators have some rights. One of these is to see the game played out. Kicking should be stopped. It is ungentlemanly, unsportsmanlike, the curse of athletic contests.

FOR BETTER ROAD MAKING.

Taxpayer Ventilates His Views and Makes Suggestions.

Communicated.

Mr. Editor—Your issue of the 5th inst. contained a clipping taken from the High Point Citizen which came nearer characterizing the present system of working our public roads than anything we have seen in print, to-wit: "It is like pouring money in rat holes." The present system reminds one of children making dams of sand in the branch, which hold the water until the dam is full. When the water breaks over all is washed away. Our road makers plow up and scrape up and make a very beautiful road, but the first heavy rain washes it all off into the branches and fields. Your correspondent has seen this occur several times on the roads around the city since the taxation system has been adopted.

Our people are willing to pay taxes to work the public roads if they can see the money judiciously and economically expended; but this way of doing a little work here and then moving off 15 or 20 miles and fixing up a short piece of road on this rat hole or sand dam temporary system is not by any means satisfactory to our people. The roads are usually good anywhere in dry weather. What we want is roads that are good roads in bad weather.

The convicts should be used in grading and macadamizing the public roads, beginning at the city limits and extending in every direction as fast as possible. This system would tend to build up a market for our citizens and give them a good road too.

Every man in the county, no matter from what part of the county he came, would have to pass over the road near the city, so he is as much benefitted as if the road near him was improved, whereas, if the extreme ends are improved it can only benefit a few individuals; while improving the roads around the city will tend to benefit her in every imaginable way. It will build up her manufacturing interests; will stimulate her commercial interest; will encourage and locate immigration in our community, and will thus greatly relieve us of the burden of taxation by increased capital located and invested here that would not otherwise be the case.

We have not investigated the matter and the road law under which convicts are worked now, may require the present system of operation to be adopted. If so we should see to it that the law be amended at once, but if the law under which our convicts are being worked does not require this scattering system, as we will term it, all good citizens who want good roads should arouse and demand a change at once that this waste of labor and taxes may cease and that all the forces be concentrated around the city and permanent road making be inaugurated.—Taxpayer.

Poisoned By Wild Roots.

Bridgeton, N. J.—April 12—Five little girls ranging in ages from 5 to 8 years, daughters of Frank Mead, John Fern and John Surran, were poisoned this morning and they are in in a very serious condition. The little folks were playing in the woods and digging up some wild sweet potato root, ate freely of it.

The root is poisonous, and the children were immediately taken very sick. Their sufferings are intense and their physicians have little hope of saving their lives.

Maj. Dowd's Condition.

Maj. C. Dowd's condition gives no hope of his recovery. He is gradually sinking, and the end may be expected at any time. His children who were out of Charlotte—Mr. W. B. Dowd, Miss Ella Dowd and Mrs. E. K. Bryan, Jr., arrived yesterday being summoned by telegram.—Charlotte Observer.

A SPANISH STEAMER SUNK.

Drifted on Top of Her Anchor and Her Bottom Was Pierced.

New Orleans, April 12—The British steamship Florida, from Liverpool, via Mexican ports, reports that about April 5th, at 10 a. m., the Spanish steamer Santo Domingo, anchored off Progresso, Mexico, drifted on top of her anchor, the fluke of which pierced her bottom, causing her to sink. The passengers, mail and crew were all safely landed. The Santo Domingo was to have sailed the next day for New York via Havana. It is believed she will be raised.

THE GAME FORFEITED.

The University of North Carolina Given the Decision.

A fair sized crowd was present this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to witness a game of baseball between the Universities of North Carolina and Pennsylvania at Southside Park but was sadly disappointed in the conduct of the visiting team. Carolina went to bat first and easily succeeded in securing four runs but when the first batter on the Pennsylvania team drove a long fly over the edge of the bicycle track and was thrown out, and so called by the umpire, trying to slide to third base the captain claimed a home run for the reason, he said, that the ball went out of the umpire's sight but the umpire very justly refused to change his decision and after some argument pulled his watch and at the expiration of the time allotted for such argument the game was given in favor of North Carolina by a score of nine to nothing. —Winston Journal.

What It Means.

When we advertise that we will guarantee Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, or Dr. King's New Life Pills, it means that we are authorized by the proprietors to sell these remedies on a positive guarantee, that if purchaser is not satisfied with results, we will refund the purchase price. These medicines have been sold on this guarantee for many years and there sould be no more conclusive evidence of their great merit. Ask about them and give them a trial. Sold at C. E. Holton's drug store.

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The following are the subscribers to the stock of the Greensboro Public Library. New names will be added until the whole number is made up when the organization will be effected:

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You will note the names added since the list first appeared.

J. A. BYRD,
First-Class Barber

I run three chairs and guarantee satisfaction. Give me a call.

311 McADOO HOUSE.

NEW SHOE SHOP.

I have opened a Shoe Shop at 104 North Elm street, back room at Bowles' store, The best stock used. Work and prices guaranteed. Give me a trial.

L. B. ALBERTSON.

DO you read the yellow journals? If not you can find the New York Herald and Sun, Washington Post and Charlotte Observer on sale at Wharton Bros. a-12-3t

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One-Cent-a-Word

[Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent per word for each insertion.]

GET your boy a "Keystone" brownie bib overall; ages 4 to 16; 50 cts. Matthews, Chishold & Stroud.

WANTED—All the ladies to look at at our Diamonds.
1t Tom Rice Jewelry Co.

M'KINLEY advises all persons old and young before enlisting in the U. S. army to cure themselves of all aches and pains, croup, coughs and colds, rheumatism, neuralgia and bronchial troubles to do this, use only Rice's famous Goose Grease Liniment always guaranteed and sold by wholesale and retail druggists.

SURELY if Spain did blow up the Maine, she was insane and can never retain the high opinion of the American people as Grape tobacco. a5 tf

CHILDREN'S

OUR special offer for 30 days is out and the time is passed when we set mantel sets free. But we will continue to give you the best value for the money of any firm in our line. Special—We have a few odds in grates that we will sell for $1.00, $1.25, and $1.50. Remember us when you want first-class plastering done at reasonable figures. Yours anxious to serve, McClamroch Bros., 217 South Elm St.

YOUR Girl wants Diamonds. We can sell you.
1t Tom Rice Jewelry Co.

FRESH Candy at
Howard Gardner's.

BICYCLE Shoes at 59, 75, 99 cents. Eastman Kodak at $4.00.
G. Daniel.

STRAW

ON the limbo of the nineteenth century, nothing can possibly occupy or take the place of Grape tobacco as it will make its dubut to centuries to come. a5 tf

DIAMONDS.
1t Tom Rice Jewelry Co.

PREPARING FOR WAR. In preparing for war, congress will use all efforts to reduce suffering on the east and north, the south does not need their help in this line, we have Rice's Goose Grease, that cures all forms of rheumatism, gout, croup, coughs and colds. Sold by all druggist and general stores, always guaranteed.

G. DANIEL carries a full and complete line of Bicycle, Base Ball Goods, Sweaters, Belts, &c.
G. Daniel.

SAILORS

THE POEM OF TRUTH—Chew Grape tobacco when you are hot; chew Grape when you are cold as it is worth to you its weight in gold. More truth than poetry. Grape. a5 tf

DIAMONDS—Any price. Come.
1t Tom Rice Jewelry Co.

THE largest bicycle store in town is G. Daniel's. He is agent for the Rambler, Stearns, and Sterling. His $30 ladies wheel is a beauty. Call and see them. G. Daniel.

THE message of McKinley will say don't let your store of Rice's Goose Grease fall into the hands of the Spaniards, it is a grand remedy for such a race, for it cures everytime.

MATTHEWS,

WANTED—All persons who must buy anything in my line to stop in and see how we can accommodate you. Quality and price always considered. John B. Fariss. m19

DIAMONDS—Just in. Call and see them. Tom Rice Jewelry Co.

COLUMBIA and Hartford Bicycles are now on exhibition at Garland Daniel's Bicycle and Sporting Goods Store. Call and see them. Chainless.
R. D. Douglas, Agent.

HANDSOME EMBOSSED Society cards for the following societies: K. of P., I. O. O. F. and Jr. O. U. A. M. Call and have your address printed on some. Prices moderate. Jos. J. Stone, Printer. Oct. 9. tf

CHISHOLM

THAT bicycle lamp ordinance was a surprise. If we had expected it you may be sure we would not have let it caught us with a short supply of the best bicycle lamps on the market. However, we ordered a full supply by express and they are here. The price will surprise you for they are so cheap. Ask for the Diamond.
m31tf Odell Hardware Co.

THE property offered by Wharton & Dodson next Monday can be divided into 26 lots with a frontage of 60 feet and an average depth of over 125 feet; it will be within the limits of the sewer system. This property, when put up, will be sold and we believe it is the finest opportunity that has been offered in a long time for the purchaser to make a handsome profit.
m16 Dodson & Wharton.

& STROUD.

THOSE wishing stenographic and typewriting work can get the same promptly and accurately done at my office, on West Market street. Hattie G. Hartsell, corner room Advocate office. j 26 tf

THE people of America are crying, less war and more chaw of Grape tobacco. a5 tf

REMOVED—My office is now located at 302½ South Elm street, up stairs opposite McAdoo House. Call and see me. W. C. Bain, Contractor.
m-12-1m

FOR SALE—A splending building lot, top of hill, on Walker avenue. Terms easy. Apply to
m25 tf C. H. Ireland.

We Haven't Time To Go Fishing.

Busy selling Furniture and House Furnishing Goods.

Receiving this week Parlor Suits—Silk Tapestry at $18. Not expensive, but all elegant in design and of fine workmanship and quality.

Our Spring Stock is larger than ever before, and lower in price.

For bargains in everything go to the leaders of low prices,

Workman's Furniture House.

A Great Fire

in your sitting room is eminently cheerful and comfortable. We have the coal you are looking for. We sell you the

Lump Coal

and burn the slack in our furnaces. Just received another supply of Red Ashe Egg Coal.

Greensboro Ice and Coal Co.

Phone 58.

W. J. Ridge

is still selling all kinds of Furniture at reduced prices. A nice line of Rockers, all grades. Bedsteads from $1 up.

Call and see for yourself

Ask Your Grocer for

Best Patent XXX Flour.

High Grade. Full Patent. Quality Guaranteed.
Made from the Very Best Wheat.

Always Reliable.

Manufactured by

Julian Milling Company,

The Price will surprise you. Julian, N. C.

Greensboro Sash and Blind Co.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Moulding, Brackets,

And Dealers in All Kinds of Pine Lumber.

202 Lewis Street, GREENSBORO, N. C.

Are You Going to Build?

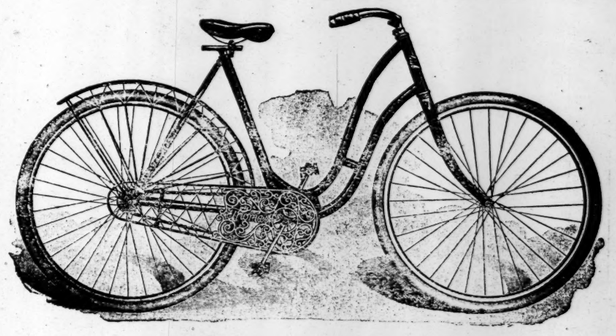
If so you will want building material, and want to buy where you can get it cheapest.

EVERYTHING—Framing, Weatherboarding, Flooring, Ceiling, Shingles, sawed pine or best heart rived, Juniper and Cypress; Doors, Sash, Blinds, and anything in the shape of building material, we can furnish you.

Call on us at Wm. Love's old stand, 522 Ashe street, or drop us a card and we will call on you and will make you prices right.

Pitts & Bain.

Manufacturers of and wholesale and retail dealers in Lumber.



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Something entirely new and up-to-date. Light, easy running and durable. New invisible brake. Has no equal.

Come and try it and you will buy it.

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JOHN GILL, Receiver

Schedule in Effect Jan. 23rd, 1897.

NORTHBOUND	No. 2 Daily
Leave Wilmington	9 00 a m
Arrive Fayetteville	12 10 p m
Leave Fayetteville	12 18 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	12 25 "
Leave Sanford	1 18 "
Leave Climax	3 47 "
Arrive Greensboro	4 20 "
Leave Greensboro	4 30 "
Leave Stokesdale	5 17 "
Leave Walnut Cove	5 47 "
Leave Rural Hall	6 15 "
Arrive Mt. Airy	7 45 "

SOUTHBOUND	No 1 Daily
Leave Mt. Airy	8 40 a m
Leave Rural Hall	10 04 "
Leave Walnut Cove	10 33 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 06 "
Arrive Greensboro	11 55 "
Leave Greensboro	12 17 p m
Leave Climax	12 45 "
Leave Sanford	2 36 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	3 55 "
Arrive Fayetteville	4 00 "
Leave Fayetteville	4 10 "
Arrive Wilmington	7 20 "

NORTHBOUND	No 4 Daily
Leave Bennettsville	8 00 a m
Arrive Maxton	9 02 "
Leave Maxton	9 07 "
Leave Red Springs	9 35 "
Leave Hope Mills	10 20 "
Arrive Fayetteville	10 40 "

SOUTHBOUND.	No 3 Daily
Leave Fayetteville	4 50 p m
Leave Hope Mills	5 07 "
Leave Red Springs	5 43 "
Arrive Maxton	6 11 "
Leave Maxton	6 15 "
Arrive Bennettsville	7 15 "

NORTHBOUND.	No 16 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Ramseur	6 40 a m
Leave Climax	8 30 "
Arrive Greensboro	9 17 "
Leave Greensboro	9 35 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Madison	11 55 "

SOUTHBOUND.	No 13 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Madison	12 35 p m
Leave Stokesdale	1 25 "
Arrive Greensboro	2 45 "
Leave Greensboro	3 15 "
Leave Climax	4 25 "
Arrive Ramseur	6 10 "

CONNECTIONS

at Fayetteville with Atlantic Coast Line, a Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, a Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboar Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad, at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railway.

J. W. FRY, Gen. Manager. W. E. KYLE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

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For Family Use.

Carbonated Water and Ginger Ale. "Konig's Brau" (the new export beer) $2.00 per box.
Consumer's Brewing Co's., Elk Beer, $1.00 per box.
Bottled Soda Water, all Flavors.

Free Delivery to Families in the City. Box 226.

WM. TALLMAN.
110 Fayetteville Street.

W. S. Overbey

is now ready to serve the public in his new quarters, 211 Sycamore street, opposite market. He is a first-class

Wheelwright and Blacksmith,

has new tools, does practical horseshoeing, and has also added a painting department and guarantees to do as good work as any man in the state in his line. See the new Haithcock wagon and give him a trial.

Mineral Lands to be Sold

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Guilford county. I will sell at the county court house door, for ready money,
ON SATURDAY, 16th of APRIL,
at 2 o'clock p. m.,
the following real property, and interest in real property, to-wit: Five acres of land carved out of the Hodgin gold mine tract, in Guilford county, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone about 10 rods westerly from the deep shaft in the mill building; thence south 40 degrees east 40 rods; thence east 40 degrees north 20 rods; thence north 40 degrees west 40 rods; thence west 40 degrees south 20 rods to the beginning, and also the mineral right in and to the remaining hundred acres in the said Hodgin gold mine tract, with privilege of ingress and egress at any and all times for mining and prospecting purposes.

This land and right and privilege is sold to make partition among the heirs at law of the late James V. Pomeroy.

March 12th, 1898.

E. S. PARKER, Commissioner.

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THROUGH VESTIBULED PULLMAN SLEEPERS

LURAY
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Greensboro, N. C.

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Dr. J. E. WYCHE,

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Office in Savings Bank building, South Elm Street, Greensboro, N. C Office phone 29. Residence phone 22.

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The Brockmann School of Music

Beginners on violin, mandolin, guitar, etc., can have use of instrument free.
Musical merchandise for sale or specially ordered. Piano tuning at reasonable rates. Satisfaction guaranteed.

J. H. COLEMAN,

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Bicycle Repair Shop.

South Side of McAdoo House.
Second hand wheels for sale.

G. W. St. Sing

has moved into his new shop, two doors north of his old stand, and is prepared to do all kinds of

Buggy, Carriage and Blacksmith Work

Fine Horse-shoeing

a specialty. Give him a trial and be your own judge. All work guaranteed.

Davie Street.

Going To Build?

If you are, consult us on material and prices. We deal in all kinds of rough and dressed lumber.
A complete line of frames, shutters, etc.

Our Specialty

is hard wood work and carving for interior decorations.
See our work and get our prices.

Cape Fear Manufacturing Co.,

Greensboro, N. C.

A NEW

Flour, Hay & Feed STORE.

where you will find all grades of Flour—Patent, Family, Extra, Graham flour and Rye flour, made from Virginia winter wheat, water ground.
This is headquarters for

HAY:

Nice, Pure Timothy: Sweet Clover, nicely cured, the best feed for milk cows; and Timothy and Clover mixed; by the bale, ton or car load. We ship hay in car lots to all points in the Carolinas. Car of fresh sweet clover hay just received from Valley of Virginia.
We keep Virginia Water Ground Meal, Bran,

Ship Stuff

White Middling Cotton Meal and Hulls, Clean—Heavy Oats, Corn, Baled Oats, Straw, Clover Seed, orchard grass and German millet at low prices. Give us a call. We can save you money.

KOINER GRAIN and FEED STORE,

116 West Market Street.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Market House in the city of Greensboro on the first Monday in May, 1898, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Board of Alderman for the said city, and M. C. Workman is appointed Registrar and will attend at his place of business in the M. P. Building on South Elm street from and including Monday, the 28th day of March to within 10 days of said election for the purpose of registering those not heretofore registered for the City election. By order of the Board of Aldermen.

JOHN S. MICHAUX,
City Clerk.

m-28-10t

OUR LIVE BUSINESS MEN.

J L Vawter, the great house mover and raiser.
S G Blaylock, bicycles
Stamey & Grissom, drugs
Koiner Grain and Feed store
Wm Talllman, beer
W J Ridge, furniture
Jno B Farris, drugs.
N J McDuffie, furniture
W S Overbey, wheelwright
J H Coleman, locksmith
Workman Bros, furniture
W H Daily, groceries
McClamroch Bros, grates, mantles
J Van Lindley, Pomona Hill Nurseries
Harry C Martin, insurance
J N Ingram, groceries
Kandy Kitchen, candies and fruits
E L Tate, printer
Guilford Roller Mill Co, flour
Harry C Martin, insurance
Thacker & Brockmann, General merchandise.
Shaw & Scales, lawyers
Wharton Bros, bookstore
Johnson & Dorsett, shoes and dress goods,
C. M. Vanstory & Co., up-to-date clothiers.
John M. Dick, steam laundry.
P. D. Satchwell, lawyer.
Wharton & McAlister, insurance.
Guilford department Store.
Shrier, the exclusive shoe dealer.
W. B. Beacham, contractor and builder.
Greensboro Ice and Coal Co.
Dr. Wm H Brooks, physician.
Howard Gardner, druggist.
Dr J E Wyche, dentist.
O D Boycott, building supplies.
W B Farrar & Son, jewelers.
L B Lindau, groceries.
Odell Hardware Co., heaters.
Gaston W Ward, druggist.
C E Holton, drugs.
Cunningham Bros., coal and wood.
S L Alderman, photograper.
Dr J T Johnson, occulist.
J. A. Byrd, barber.
Jos. J. Stone, job printer.
S. H. Boyd & Co., insurance.
Fishblate-Katz-Rankin Co., clothing
Sample Brown Mercantile Co., shoes.
Vuncanon & Co., groceries.
R. E. Andrews, painting and graining.
G W St Sing, blacksmithing
Matthews, Chisholm & Stroud, art clothiers and gents' furnishers.
Greensboro Sash and Blind Co., building material.
O F Pearce, tobacco and cigars.
Dr J H Wheeler, dentist.
J M Hendrix & Co, merchants
S E Hudson, groceries
Pitts & Bain, builders' supplies
Cape Fear Manufacturing Company, lumber

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Fine Note Paper

Call and see our new styles in Hurd's Exquisite Stationery.
The latest thing for gentlemen is the "Maryland Club."
Save money by using Hurd's Linen Pound Paper.

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Agent for COTTAGE HEATER, for either wood or coal.

GREENSBORO, N. C.

Durham & Charlotte R. R. Co.,

Time Table No. 4.

To take effect Monday, Nov. 29th, 1897, at 5 a. m.

EASTERN TIME STANDARD.

DAILY EX. SUNDAY TRAIN NO. 1.	DIST.	STATIONS	DAILY EX. SUNDAY TRAIN NO. 2.
P. M.			P. M.
2 20	0	Gulf	1 28
2 30	3	Palmers	1 16
2 38	5	Carbonton	1 08
2 46	7	Haw Br'nch	1 00
3 52	8.5	Linwood	12 55
2 58	10	Glendon	12 50
3 13	14.4	Johnson	12 30
3 20	16	Hallison (C & W Junc.)	12 25

Connects at Gulf with the C. F. & Y. V. and at Hallison (C. & W. Junction) with the Carthage & Western Railroad.

FRANK D. JONES,
Superintendent.

If you are interested in the subject of

ECZEMA

Read This.

Graham, N. C., Nov. 23, 1898.
Mrs. Joe Person:—Allow me to express my gratitude to you for the wonderful cure your Remedy made on my little daughter, some eight years ago. She was afflicted with some blood impurity which resulted in boils and sores on her head, face and neck, which troubled her severely and continuously for 18 months, more or less. After trying different remedies for a long time without any permanent relief, a friend advised me to try your medicine: After a short use of it she began to improve and when she had taken about eighteen bottles the sores and boils were entirely healed, there has never been any return of them, and she seems now to be entirely well. I consider your Remedy one of the very best blood purifiers on the market.

Yours very truly,
J. H. WATSON.

FOR SALE BY

Howard Gardner,

Corner Opposite Postoffice.

OSCAR N. WHITFIELD

228 South Elm Street

Fashionable and Up-to-Date Barber.

Sharp Razors Clean Towels
Polite Attention

First class beard trimming, hair cutting and shampooing. We make a specialty of all kinds of

Ladies' and Children's Work

My two assistants are first class workmen and can please you. We invite your special attention to the

Hanger Shampoo Bowl,

the only firstclass method of shampooing in use. I extend to you a cordial invitation to visit my shop, and promise you such treatment as can be excelled by none.
Next door south of Smithdeal' Music Store.

FELLOW FEELING MAKES US WONDROUS KIND."

and mutual admiration of our laundry work is a theme that both ladies and gentlemen can discuss, and find they both feel the same way—feel satisfied with both excellence of work and reasonableness of price. Gentlemen's shirts, collars, cuffs and white vests, and ladids' shirt waists, collars and cuffs are turned out like new.

The Steam Laundry,
John M. Dick, Proprietor.

Phone 72.

Hungry Muscles

have to be fed. Give them rich, pure blood and they glow with health; give them poor blood and they do not recuperate—exercise does not refresh you. If you are worn out, nervous or feeble, there is one thing that will aid you—pure, rich blood. There is but one way to gain it—

Johnston's Sarsaparilla

QUART BOTTLES.

For thirty years it has stood at the head; THE remedy for poor blood. Quart bottles, $1.00 a bottle. Begin this day to give your muscles good food.

WILLIAMS, DAVIS, BROOKS & CO., Detroit, Mich.

Try Liverettes the Famous Little Liver Pills. 25c.

Trade supplied by **The Merchant's Grocery Company**

Guilford Roller Mill Comp'y

(Successors to Oak Hill Roller Mills)

Greensboro, - - - - - N. C.

Brands of Flour:

Our Patent, highest grade made. **Battle Ground,** straight or second patent. **Klondyke,** family.

Ask your merchant for it. You will never use any other if you once use our two best brands. Try it and tell us about it. Custom Work solicited. Give us a trial.

GENERAL LEE'S TESTIMONY.

He Believes That Spanish Officials Did the Work.

Washington, April 12—Consul General Lee was before the Senate committee on foreign relations for an hour, late today He talked freely with the committee in regard to the condition in Cuba, and especially with reference to the destruction of the Maine. He said that in his opinion there was no room to doubt that the destruction of the vessel was due to Spanish agencies.

"Do you mean the Spanish authorities in Cuba?" was asked by a member of the committee.

"I mean the Spanish officials," he replied, "but not General Blanco. I think some of the officials were cognizant of the plans to destroy the vessel, but I do not believe that the captain general was.

General Lee said he had no knowledge of the reports that a mine had been discovered by a diver under the Montgomery, while that vessel lay in Havana harbor.

The consul general did not arrive at the capitol until 5 o'clock. He came in a street car, and was not recognized by the one or two hundred people who had congregated on the outside of the building to see him, but in the corridors at the entrance to the room of the committee on foreign relations he was recognized and given a hearty hand-clapping. He responded with a bow and a smile and hastened into the committee room.

FRANCHISE OF COLORED MEN.

Petition Regarding the Constitutions of Three States.

Washington, April 11—A petition, signed by prominent colored men of Mississippi, South Carolina and Louisiana, was today presented to the senate committee on privileges and elections, requesting the committee to extend its report upon a recent senate resolution, particularly to the consideration of the franchise features of the completed constitutions of South Carolina and Mississippi now in force and the changes contemplated as to the suffrage in Louisiana.

Attention is called to the fact that the reconstruction constitutions adopted by the States of South Carolina, Mississippi and Louisiana, and ratified by Congress could never be altered or changed so as to abridge the right of suffrage to any citizen of the United States who was entitled to such enjoyment of suffrage by the terms of the constitutions recognized and approved by the acts of Congress.

Yale Theologs to Invade the Bowery.

New Haven, Conn., April 12—Yale men will invade the Bowery this week. The senior class of the Yale Theological school will take a two days trip to the metropolis to visit the various missions, the Tombs, Blackwell's and Ward's islands, and the college settlements. Prof. W. F. Blackman, head of the department of social science in the school, will conduct the party. It will number about thirty. They will leave here on the Richard Peck on Wednesday night and spend Thursday and Friday in New York.

PARKHURST AND SUNDAY ERTRA

Causes a Newsboy's Arrest for Selling Them.

The Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, while on his way to his home in East Thirty-fifth street from the Madison Square Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon, caused the arrest of Joseph Maroni, a fourteen-year-old boy living at 344 East Forty-second street, for selling newspapers at Park avenue and Thirty-fifth street.

The boy was crying "Extra" when the clergyman ordered Policeman James Healy of the East Thirty-fifth street station to arrest him, and going to the station house the preacher said he would be in the police court in the morning and prosecute the case.

He informed Sergeant Kelly, who was on desk duty, that he proposed to do what he could to suppress the growing practice of boys crying out the sale of newspapers on Sunday, as it tended to disturb the religious thought of the people.

When the boy was arraigned in the Yorkville court yesterday the Rev. Dr. Parkhurst did not appear to press the complaint, so Magistrate Brann discharged the boy.—New York Sun.

THEY DON'T LIKE PAPER.

Savages at First Contact Regard the Fabric With Suspicion.

When savage people first come in contact with the whites, none of the wonders that they see is regarded with more suspicion than large sheets of paper. The native is apt to regard paper as a sort of cloth, and the fact that it tears easily and is worthless for most of the purposes to which cloth is put convinces him that it is a fraud.

One or two Kongo travelers told of the disgust with which the natives at first regarded paper. The Kongo tribes, by the way, are on the lookout for sharpers, and it is exceedingly hard work for anybody to sell them a bad quality of cutlery or cloth. Savages soon find, however, that paper is not intended to serve the purposes of cloth. Then they cease to look upon it as a fraud, but they do not think it ranks high among white man's manufactures, and they have little use for it.

Some time ago a well known explorer was traveling in the interior of Queensland, Australia, where he met many natives who had never seen a white man before.

One day a crowd of natives was in the white man's camp carefully inspecting the explorer and his baggage when a newspaper happened to drop out of his pocket.

The natives unfolded and spread it out on the ground. They decided that it must be an article of wearing apparel, and one of them tried it on. He wrapped it round his shoulders like a shawl and sat down on the ground, arranging his covering this way and that and watching the faces of the crowd to see what they thought of his elegant garment, covered as it was with many thousands of curious marks.

Presently, however, an accident happened. While the savage was rearranging his shawl and trying to bring the corners together in front of him the garment began to tear at the nape of his neck. A howl from the crowd called attention to the disaster. The blanket, or whatever it was, was evidently made of the poorest sort of material.

The savage took his covering off, examined the mischief he had wrought, made the tear a little longer and then with his finger poked a hole through the paper.

That settled the fact that the article was worthless. The newspaper suddenly lost all interest for the natives, who turned their attention to less destructible objects.—Pearson's Weekly.

Short on Fingers; Long on Sense.

We are becoming an optimist more and more all the time. We have come to the conclusion that nearly everything that happens, though it cannot be seen at the time, is for the best. About 20 years ago when we were stealing a ride on a binder we got to poking wheat straws in the cogwheels to see them cut the heads off. Somehow the machine caught one of our index fingers and cut it off at the first joint. All these years have passed and we have just found out what that stub of a finger is good for. It comes handy to a teething baby, there being no nail on it to cut the baby's mouth.—Norwich (Kan.) Courant.

Her Motive.

"That Bascomme woman is always making her husband tell her that he loves her right before folks."

"Yes; she knows that it is an awful exasperation to him to say it."—Indianapolis Journal.

The churches of Naples are so overrun with mice that most of the pastors have been obliged to keep cats in them, at the risk of provoking comic scenes like those sometimes witnessed in theaters when a cat walks across the stage.

It is necessary to hope, though hope should be always deluded, for hope itself is happiness, and its frustrations, however frequent, are yet less dreadful than its extinction.—Dr. Johnson.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents and $1.00 per bottle at C. E. Holton's drug store.

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BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

B. E. Jones went to Winston this morning.

B. E. Burns, of Asheboro, is in the city today.

John T. Pannill, of Reidsville, is in the city today.

R. H. Lewis, Jr., of Chapel Hill, was here today.

M. D. Bailey, Jr., of Winston, was in the city today.

W. H. Branson, of Durham, was in the city last night.

Rev. Dr. L. W. Crawford went to Salisbury this morning.

J. F. Wray and wife, of Reidsville, were in the city last night.

S. B. Lacy, of Richmond, was at the McAdoo this morning.

Mrs. Thomas Winslow, of Asheboro was in the city last night stopping at the Benbow.

J. W. Griffith, of Winston, is in the city attending Federal court.

B. N. Duke, of Durham, took supper at the Benbow last night.

John B. Graham and W. A. Hennessee went to Durham this morning.

All lovers of good music will be sure to enjoy the "Conundrum Tea."

The Greensboro Ice and Coal Co., are preparing to start their ice factory next week.

Any one desiring to borrow money shonld read Wharton & McAlister's ad on front page.

A. B. Creech returned this morning from New York where he has been in a hospital for the past three weeks.

Mrs. J. Earnest Thacker, of Alexandria, Va., returned home this morning after visiting relatives in the city.

In order to have more room for grown people no children under 14 years are invited to the "Conundrum Tea."

There will be a marriage at St. Andrew's tomorrow at 11:30 a. m., to which all who desire to attend are invited.

J. H. West, at the Kandy Kitchen, talks about his ice cream parlors and pure candy, fine fruits, etc., in his ad. today.

Misses Lala Smith and Minnie Bryson went out to the Battle Ground this morning on their wheels to spend a few days.

The University of Pennsylvania base ball team left last night in their special car for Washington where they play Georgetown this afternoon.

Judge Simonton did not reach Greensboro this week on account of sickness He hopes, however, to be able to hold court at Statesville next week.

When you want plastering done, remember that McClamroch Bros, are in that business as well as dealing in in mantels and tiling and will be glad to quote you prices on such work. See their ads in the penny column.

You will need your "thinking cap" at the "Conundrum Tea" Thursday evening which the ladies of the Baptist church will give at the residence of Dr. Battle, corner of Washington and Ashe streets, for the benefit of the Sunday school room.

Whitsett Items.

Prof. W. T. Whitsett returned this morning from Asheville where he had been to locate the teachers assembly for the folloing year.

Misses Mary Brown and Ida Jones spent a few hours at the formers home on last Friday evening near Brick Church.

Miss Myrtle May, of Greenboro, visited friends here this week.

S. C. Taylor and H. V. Stewart, returned from Greensboro last Sunday where they visited their parents Easter.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

"A MODERN ANANIAS."

The University Dramatic Club at the Academy Last Night.

The University Dramatic Club played "A Modern Ananias" at the Academy to a fair-sized audience last night. The play is a farce comedy and the parts were well taken throughout.

Busbee, Pond and Follin were great in their respective parts. Cotton was not bad, Rawls and Myers as Nellie Goldengate and Prudence Mayflower were "just lovely." The part of "Baby," or "Little Tootsy-wootsy," was no doubt played by Reynolds as it should be played; but it is entirely too ridiculous to be funny.

Taking all together, however, the boys scored a success and the audience was highly pleased and entertained. The club went from here to Reidsville, where they play to-night.

CAME TOO LATE.

And Now the Victim Wants to Know About the Penalty.

A letter received here yesterday by Mr. P. G. Monk, who is a member of the Georgia State Guards, contains the following order. The letter was sent from Atlanta and was mailed at 5:30 p. m. on Monday. Following is the order:

You are hereby ordered to be at armory tomorrow (Tuesday) night at 7-30 sharp, uniform, cap and leggins.

This order is issued as directed by the Governor of the State. Inattention and disobedience hereunto will subject you to immediate court martial. Your enlistment expires May 11th, 1898.

W. D. Ellis, Jr. Capt. Com'd.
J. H. Bryson, 1st Sergeant.

The Jolly Juniors.

The Jolly Junior's Cycle Club are requested to meet at the home of Irvinn Eldridge, Thursday, April 14th, at 3:30 p. m. sharp, for club run to Battle Ground.

May Stewart, President.
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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. E. Holton.

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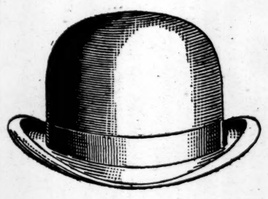

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